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LOCAL BRIEFS.

The will of the late Michael Casey, leaving his estate to his children, was probated Thursday.

Mr. John Cudahy, the Chicago millionaire packer, was in the city for a couple of days this week, looking after his Louisville packing house interests.

We learn that there is a movement on foot to organize a new State League of the liquor dealers in Kentucky, similar to the one now existing in New York State.

Daniel Hallihan, of New Albany, who was injured some time ago by a fall from street car in this city, has sued the company in the courts for \$2,000 damages.

Detective Sam Plamp, who was stabbed at Third and Jefferson streets several weeks ago by Will Williams, a negro pickpocket, is much improved and will be able to report for duty in a few days.

The Wagon Works Aid Society is enjoying its annual outing at Fern Grove today. This society numbers about 500 members, who are highly elated over the action of the company in granting all the employees a holiday without loss of pay.

Branch No. 110, New Albany Catholic Knights and Ladies of America, gave an ice cream supper and lawn fete at the residence of Mrs. Peter Richards, Pearl street, New Albany, on the evening of the 20th. A pleasant evening was enjoyed by all.

Mr. Michael Coyne, known to every one in Limerick, who was seriously injured last week by the falling of a derrick on the Louisville & Nashville railroad, a few miles outside the city, is now pronounced out of danger, and his speedy recovery is hoped for by his friends.

Messrs. John Owen and Frank Leverone, who are with Col. Castleman's regiment at Camp Thomas, write to their Louisville friends that they are in perfect health. They say the boys of the First are greatly disappointed in not being permitted to take part in the active fighting.

The Labor Day Committee of the Central Labor Union is making preparations for a grand celebration of the labor holiday. The Commercial Club and Board of Trade have been invited to co-operate, and they are expected to take an active part and make the day one that will attract crowds to this city.

Fergus Kennedy, of the No. 2 Hook and Ladder Company, was badly injured Wednesday evening while preparing to go to the fire at Preston and Kentucky streets. Mr. Kennedy was assisting to harness the horses to the truck, when the heavy tongue fell and struck him a violent blow in the face. His nose is swollen to twice its normal size, and his face was severely bruised.

The Retail Clerks' Union held the first regular meeting Thursday night since the annual convention last week. The meeting was one of the largest attended and most enthusiastic in the history of the local organization. It was determined at the meeting to push the movement for Sunday closing, and a number of prominent lawyers have volunteered their services to this end. Another movement to have all the stores closed at 6 p. m. will be started.

RECENT DEATHS.

Mrs. Ann Donahue passed away last Saturday, and her funeral took place Monday from the residence of Mr. William Crawley, 2521 Rowan street.

The funeral of Edward Flaherty, who died suddenly last Saturday, took place Monday morning from the church of St. Louis Bertrand, and the remains were interred in St. Louis cemetery.

The funeral of Miss Minnie Donahue took place Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock from the family residence,

1129 West Broadway, and at 8:30 o'clock from the Cathedral of the Assumption. The remains were taken to Jeffersonville for interment.

The death of Mrs. James Dilworth occurred in Toronto a few days ago. She was the mother of Mr. Charles F. Price, of this city. Mrs. Dilworth had a stroke of paralysis a few days ago from which she never rallied. Mr. Price was at her bedside when the end came.

The funeral of Mr. Michael Casey took place at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning from the family residence, 2336 West Chestnut, and the interment was in St. Louis Cemetery. Mr. Casey was for years a valued member of the police force, but retired on account of old age.

William Camfield, aged seventeen years, a most promising young man, died at the residence of his father, Thomas Camfield, 1103 Baxter avenue, last Saturday morning, and his untimely death is regretted by a large circle of acquaintances. The deceased was ill only a few days. He suffered from typhoid fever. The funeral took place from St. Aloysius church at 9 o'clock on Monday morning.

Miss Anna Parsons died Wednesday afternoon at her home, 2104 West Market street. Death was due to a complication of lung and heart trouble. Her illness dates back over a period of two years. The deceased was a daughter of J. F. Parsons and a sister of R. E. Parsons, of the C. & O. railroad, and Joseph Parsons, of the Big Four. The funeral took place from St. Patrick's church Thursday morning, and the large number present attested to the great regret at her death.

Mrs. Jeremiah Featherston, a most estimable lady, died at her home on Eleventh street Sunday morning. The event caused great sorrow to a large circle of friends. Mrs. Featherston was born in Ireland sixty years ago, but came to this country and for the past thirty-five years has resided in Louisville. She was the mother of John Featherston, of the city fire department. The funeral took place Tuesday from the Cathedral, and a large concourse of sorrowing friends accompanied the remains to St. Louis cemetery.

Miss Ella Cassin died at the home of her father, Henry Cassin, 2112 Floyd street, Tuesday night, of consumption. She had been ill for some time, and spent last winter in Asheville, N. C., with the hope of benefiting her health. Since her return home she had awaited death with patient resignation. Miss Cassin was a lovely young woman, and is mourned by a large circle of friends. She was a sister of Mr. James Cassin and a cousin of Mr. Henry Cassin, of the Federal courts. The funeral took place from St. Mary Magdalene church Thursday morning, and the services were conducted by Father Raffo, who was for a long time the spiritual adviser of the deceased.

LOCAL THEATERS.

The theaters of the city are all being renovated preparatory to the opening of the coming season. The Buckingham is undergoing extensive changes, and when the Messrs. Whallen throw open the doors of their popular playhouse the public will be surprised at the many improvements they have made. Theirs will probably be the most elegantly furnished theater in the city. For the coming season they have booked all the first-class vaudeville attractions that will visit this city.

Macauley's Theater will this season continue under the management of Messrs. Macauley and Colgan. They will endeavor to present the best line of attractions ever brought to that house. Already a number of important bookings have been made, and the list is being constantly added to.

The Avenue has passed under the sole control of Mr. Brady, and the many friends of Manager Arthur are anxious to see him remain at that house during the coming season. He has done much for the advancement of that house.

The Temple's future is as yet undecided, though it is more than likely that Manager Meffert will again have a stock company.

FINALLY SETTLED.

Porto Rico Will Be Held by Our Government—To Go Toward Making Up War Expenses.

The authoritative declaration was made in Washington Thursday that the Island of Porto Rico is to be held as a permanent possession of this country as the price of war. The subjoined practically official statement was made to a representative of the Associated Press:

"Porto Rico will be kept by the United States. That is settled and has been the plan from the first. Once taken, it will never be returned. It will pass forever into the hands of the United States, and there never has been any other thought. Its possession will go toward making up the heavy expense of the war to the United States. Our flag, once run up there, will float over the island permanently."

The same authority says the future of the Philippines is a matter of development, and that so far there is no certain policy adopted regarding these islands. They are subject to developments in the war situation in the Pacific. It was intimated, however, though not definitely asserted, that the Ladrone Islands might follow the fate of Porto Rico and become our permanent possession, being valuable as a coaling and supply station for our ships when en route to Eastern Asia.

JAMES P. GLENN.

A Popular Young Irish American Who Is Fast Rising in the West End of This City.

There is probably no young man in the neighborhood of Eighteenth and Broadway better known or liked than Jimmy Glenn. Mr. Glenn was born and educated in this city. After completing his education he accepted a position with the Louisville & Nashville railroad, with which company he remained for some time. Upon leaving the service of the railroad he established himself in the grocery business in that part of the city known as Limerick, where he remained until three years ago, when he removed to his present location at Eighteenth and Broadway, where he has a pleasant place and is doing a prosperous business. Mr. Glenn takes a prominent part in the German as well as Irish affairs of his neighborhood, and this with his kindly disposition makes him popular with all.

DIVISION JOTTINGS.

All divisions are expected to have a large attendance at the next two meetings.

County President John A. Murphy was a visitor at the last meeting of No. 3.

No. 5 is one of the leading divisions, and is making an effort to outstrip the older bodies.

Bro. J. Chas. Obst has a German name, but, oh, my! what a big Irish heart he has!

Mr. Michael Walsh, of Division 3, who has been ill for some time past, is reported much improved.

No. 4 has changed its meeting nights to the second and fourth Wednesday of each month.

Division No. 4 had a large attendance at its last meeting, when six applications for membership were filed.

Harry Brady, the efficient Treasurer of No. 4, is making a reputation for himself. He never misses a meeting.

The second meeting of No. 6 each month is of a social nature, when a reception or hop is given to their friends.

Mr. Joseph P. Taylor, President of No. 3, will leave in a few days for Lexington on business pertaining to the order.

Mr. Pat Higgins has taken quite a lead for the badge offered by James Coleman to the one securing the most new members.

Paducah and Owensboro will be the next in the State for the A. O. H. to branch out, so State President Cusick informs us.

Division No. 2 announces with pleasure that three of its members

will renounce bachelorhood—early in the fall, of course.

Chas. Cavanaugh, a hustling member of No. 1, is recruiting for new members for his division right in No. 4's stronghold—the heart of Limerick.

County President Murphy made a report of what was done at Trenton at the meeting of No. 4, and all were pleased with the work of the convention.

Members of the various divisions should attend the County Board meetings often. A better idea of the work assigned to their officers could be gained.

President Hennessy, of No. 4, is an excellent presiding officer, and is happiest when entertaining the members of other divisions. He knows how to do it.

Arrangements are being made for a game of ball between nine selected from the members of Young Men's Division No. 6, A. O. H., and the Mackin Club.

The members of No. 3 have gone to work in the right manner to make the lawn fete an event of the season. The price of admission has been placed at ten cents.

John H. Hennessy, the popular young President of No. 4, says his division is receiving applications at every meeting, and will soon be the banner division of the city.

No. 4 has quite an array of athletic talent, Kid Hennessy and Tom Langan being right handy with the mits. They sometimes furnish an interesting sparring exhibition for the members.

Div. No. 2 had no sick claims at the last meeting, the first meeting in eighteen months that no sick report from the committees was made. No. 2 thinks that all Irishmen should belong to the A. O. H.

The members of Division No. 3 are working energetically to make their approaching lawn fete a great success. It will take place at Lion Garden on August 15, and a large attendance is already assured.

The Bricklayers' Union having all the Friday nights engaged for the year, No. 2 has given up the fourth Friday and returned to the fourth Thursday, making their meeting nights second and fourth Thursday.

Among the visitors at the meeting of No. 4 were Messrs. Coleman, Taylor and Sheehan, who delivered short but interesting addresses. Mr. Sheehan done some good work among the members in the interest of the lawn fete to be given by No. 3.

Vice President T. M. Camfield, of Div. No. 2, A. O. H., suffered a severe loss in the death of his son William, which occurred last Saturday. He was a very promising youth, of a bright, genial disposition, a devout Christian, an obedient and loving son, a favorite of all who knew him. The members of No. 2 extend to Bro. Camfield their deepest sympathy in his sad bereavement.

The Kentucky Irish American has ardent supporters in the various divisions, but none are doing more for the paper than President William T. Meehan. The Presidents and Secretaries of the different divisions can render valuable assistance to that journal without inconveniencing themselves to any great extent, and thereby have the gratification of being among those who aided in establishing a thoroughly representative paper for the Irish people and Irish interests.

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